

ber of idle cars and the entire slump cannot be attributed to the higher freight rates, because transportation business has been affected by the general industrial situation, but higher rates have certainly not served to encourage business, and the idea of attempting to increase them further seems out of the question. Such a move would simply mean delving away what business remains and therefore increasing the idleness among the employes Under such conditions it would make no difference how high the rate of pay was those who had no work

that sections which are threatened or acttually overrun with such pests fail to take
the necessary steps to protect themselves
through individual effort before conditions
through individual effort before conditions
get to such a stage that outside help has
to be called for. This is, however, frequently noted and Rhode Island is not the
sully state where it can be found.

The fact of the matter is that too much
attention cannot be given to the destruction of such moths which if the
transport of the penalties
though new conditions
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further decision.

There was no chance that ench could
be accepted. Germany even wanted the
sulface in Upper
Silesia. The imposition of the penalties
should result in bringing Germany to its
senses but it doesn't recessarily mean
that the chance has been sented it to accept the terms and thus bring about the

attention cannot be given to the destruction of such moths which, if they are not
fought, will raise have among trees and
shrubs. Perhaps it may seem that \$20.

200 for one town for such a purpose is a

large sum, but the indications are that it large sum, but the indigations are that it s a large job that must be tackled if proection is going to be given to others, and would be far cheaper and easier to fight pest in that one town than to wait until it had become well distributed over

Appropriations of this kind come hard his foot on the cutout. when economy is the watchword of state At other times less might be thought of such a proposition, but inasmuch as neglect has made present conditions possible the continuance of it can be expected to make them far worse. Eradication now, or the checking of the spread, would therefore be a good stroke n behalt of economy in the long run. But whether Rhode Island appropriates what is sought or not there will be a large burden resting upon the shoulders of every farm and land owner to put forth his best efforts to strike at the pest wherever it is seen. A general effort along such lines would show excellent re-

NATIONAL PISH DAY.

There is no way of course of telling how many paid any attention to the national lish day, which was proclaimed for Wednesday and its observance urged upon the people of the entire country. accidentally observed it. Others had fish because they wanted it, while there were those who were encouraged to take advantage of special offers in the way of fish for that occasion. The fish has its day but whether it will be possible to awaken much interest in the one day observance throughout the country is a

If the observance was prompted by the fact that there is a large amount of fish on the market over and above the normal equirements there ought to be no difficulin moving that surplus provided there is a desire to move it and not a determi-nation to take a loss rather than to offer inducements. When it is reported that mation, there might not have been say semething more than three-quarters of a war. million pounds of fish were condemned in New York city last year because it was appreciated that efforts to move such fish were too long delayed, that there was no desire to give the trade the benefit of that quarrels. waste and it is reasonable to suppose that
the maintenance of price was to a large
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such fish quite as much as the price of work among unsigninged, not all in that been boistered up by the deliberate de- anticipated 1921.

truction of carload lots that would have atruction of carload lets that would have had a depressing effect upon the market. National fish day, whether for the nurpose of moving a surphus or with the idea of giving the fish an additional amount of assertining may make its appeal. It properly placed it abould serve to direct increased attention to fish as a feed and to new kinds of fish that are being out on the market. Sight cannot be lost, hewever, of the imperiance of making fish attractive in ways otherwise than through an appeal to the appetits.

What the allied nations have done as the result of the fallure of the London

would make no difference how high the rate of pay was those who had no work would be worse off than they would be to participate in the readjustment by accepting a reduction in the present wage scales and keeping the wheels turning.

Thus were the railroads inform the men that there must be reductions it comes after other methods for meeting conditions have failed, and the method of resenting the matter is in accord with the national agreements which the national agreements and agree the national agreement and the most part of the fall of the part of the fal ditions in that single town are not only attention than the representative of a serious but a decided menace to the rest vanquished nation. To have accepted the five year offer would have meant the bringing of the whole matter up again two days later an answer was rewealths.

It is unfortunately the case too often after that period and allowed new confittant sections which are threatened or actions to have their effect in reaching a

EDITORIAL NOTES. March is certainly furnishing all sorts of inducements for setting the finding tackle ready.

With 198 carthquake shocks in six days in southern Chill someone must have had

The man on the corner says: It is not Marchlike but a great time to be a philosopher and accept what is provided.

Germany should realize that the bill

will be larger by fercing the allies to put it in the bands of a collecting agency. It will not be many days now before the home gardeners are bracking about how high and promising their garly near

Germany in his counter proposal deu-bled the original but it didn't start high enough in the beginning to make any im-

Had Germany wen the war there wouldn't have been any exacetunity allowed for the allies to greenst equator

How like the German advance in that of the allied troops when they try to cause as little friction as resultile among

Every time a coal concern declares a dividend of 150 per cent, the consuming public wonders what it would have been had the winter been a severe one.

There is considerable foreign comment on the president's inaugural address, but it should be remembered it was a mess-age to the people of the United States.

Had Germany only stapped to think back in 1914 that it was nessible to lose and anticipated the bill under such a sit

From the way in which they are shed ding blood it might be supposed that Panama and Costa Rica didn't believe in sanity when it comes to adjustment of

sodities at various times has important war industry easter could have

HER LINE OF CHATTER

CICCULATION

Week Round March 1921

Legratory in a strained segration of the suppose of the purpose of histories and a strained from the strained segration for the suppose of the purpose The sad faced rooming house chambermaid opened the roomer's door
slightly, thrust a gloomy countenance
through the opening and gave a deep
sight.

You ain't going out this morning. I
suppose " she said. "Well, it seems
like some folks has it pretty soft these."

(Tomorrow-Questions Still to Be

Settled.)

IN THE DAY'S NEWS

Inaugurations In Other Countries.

"If President Harding had been in-ducted into the chief office in some

outed late the chief office in some other republics on March 4, the ceremonies would have varied from a simplicity even greater than that he insisted upon, to an investiture of almost regal splender," says a bulletin from the Washington, D. C. headquarters of the National Geographic Society.

procedure of all. He would don quaint mediacyal state garments; would march through the streets of the capital preceded by heralds and escorted by gorgeously uniformed soldiers; would attend a preliminary church service during which his predecessor would sit on a cancpled throne soon to be occupied by him; and finally, would have placed on his head a head-dress indicative of his office.

and legislation. All things considered governmental provisions for Alaska have been wenderfully improved with-in the past decade, and no doubt fur-ther advances will be made whenever there is practical unanimity of re-commendation on the part of Alaska's leading citizens. ODD INCIDENTS IN AMERICAN BISTORY

When Alaska Became Our Property. Although Alaska is our only remaining territory on the Western Hemisphere, and we recognize its great importance as a part of this country, parchased by us as recently as 1887, yet very little is known of the early history of the nortwestern arm of the United States. On account of its isolation and its barren condition Alaska was practically unknown to us

turned, stating that the minister be

issued by the President of the United states.

On the 18th of October the formal transfer of the property was made at Siska, Gep. Rousseau taking possession in the name of the United States. For seventsen years after the purchase of Alaska Congress took no action regarding the acquired territory, says to project financial interests, Murger, rapine and lawlessness followed and the citizens if Sitka in one settremity appealed for aid to British folumbia, and after a time were protected by the British navy.

Finally, on Mar. It, 1884, the laws of Gregon were extended to Alaska, which authorized a Goyernor, established District Courts and commissioners, created land districts, provided for scheels, etc. Where moral obligations failed majorital interests prevailed. The discovery of gold and the influx of mines impelled Gongress to act, and on May 14, 1885, railway right were granted.

On March 5, 1885, thirty-two years after the cession, Congress gave allegate, drawn from the statutes at British grant control of the municipal council. In Mexico, on the Goyernor and other civil officials, provided for District Courts for each of the three judical displayed to the Goyernor and other civil officials, provided for District Courts for each of the three judical displayed to the Goyernor and other civil officials, provided for District Courts for each of the three judical divisions of Alaska, for public records, confirmed the rights of langs actually used by Indians. Schools and missions, special envoys, and established a system of Hensel on all classes of briggs. While the Territory now has executive and Julical discounting the minestrative and Julical officers, it is withgut any legislative body, and as separated on Congress for all laws separated on Congress for all laws separated on Congress for all laws as separated

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On Sister's Face. Hard and Red. Itched Badly. Face Very Disfigured.

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mediately afterward he would Roll a reception, and would then pay a visit to the ex-president.

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"If he were being inducted into the presidency of the war-torn and war-torn threatened Republic of Poland, he would go to a "White Heuse' at whose doors were stationed cavalrymen with drawn asbers. When he went abroad he would be preceded, not by a trim policeman or an Argus-eyed secret service man, but by a herald who would demand that the populace 'uncover before the most noble President.' And if Senator Harging, instead of being installed as chief executive of the world's biggest republic, were being seated as one of the heads of the smallest republic. San Marino, he would experience the most elaborate procedure of all. He would don quaint mediaeval state garments: would the favored few, but the multitudes may witness the passage of authority to the shoulders upon which they have voted to confer it."

Stories That Recall Others

Making It Homelike. On Dolly's birthday she was presented with a haby buildog and her delight was

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